



# DC YOUTH ORCHESTRA PROGRAM

## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION SUMMER 2011

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The DC Youth Orchestra Program is pleased to be able to provide multiple scholarships to students in the DC Youth Orchestra Program registering Summer Camp 2011. To be eligible, students must be current residents of the District of Columbia. These scholarship guidelines and application apply to the 2011 Summer Camp activities only, and will not apply to subsequent terms in which student enrolls, nor do they apply to summer evening classes.

**Eligibility:** Students who are residents of the District of Columbia, enrolling for the 2011 Summer Camp/s at the DCYOP will be eligible for at least 75% reduction in registration fees. Based on household income and size, many families will be eligible for 100% reduction in registration fees. Scholarships will include registration fees, but will NOT include instrument fees and deposits. Scholarships will be awarded until funds are no longer available, and will be awarded first-come-first-serve basis.

**Income Categories:** Household income is broken into two categories: Category 1 receiving full (100%) scholarship for the 2011 Summer Camp and Category 2 receiving 75% scholarship for the 2011 Summer Camp. These categories are based in part on the Federal Poverty Guidelines, as indicated by the Federal Register. Families requesting Category 1 scholarship (100% scholarship) will be asked to provide income verification in the form of a copy of federal income tax return forms. Income categories are outlined below:

### DCYOP 2011 Scholarship Guidelines

Size of Family Unit	Annual Income	
	Category 1 (100% scholarship)	Category 2 (75% scholarship)
2	\$0 to \$39,830	\$39,831 and above
3	\$0 to \$43,090	\$43,091 and above
4	\$0 to \$46,350	\$46,351 and above
5	\$0 to \$49,610	\$49,611 and above
6	\$0 to \$52,870	\$52,871 and above
7	\$0 to \$56,130	\$56,131 and above
8	\$0 to \$59,390	\$59,391 and above

### Federal Poverty Guidelines

Size of Family Unit	Annual Income
1	\$9,570
2	12,830
3	16,090
4	19,350
5	22,610
6	25,870
7	29,130
8	32,390

SOURCE: Federal Register, Vol. 70, No. 33,  
February 18, 2005, pp. 8373-8375. ([http://  
aspe.hhs.gov/poverty/05poverty.shtml](http://aspe.hhs.gov/poverty/05poverty.shtml))

**Restrictions/accommodations:** Scholarships are available only to students enrolled (enrolling) in the 2011 Summer Camp. Registration fees which have already been paid by the student/family prior to scholarship application and processing, will be credited to the 2011 Fall Session. Students withdrawing during the scholarship period, who are receiving a scholarship, will not be eligible for a refund of the fees and the scholarship will not be applied to subsequent session(s). **Those students receiving scholarship will be expected to attend maintain stellar attendance—those failing to meet the organization's attendance guidelines will lose their scholarship funding and will be asked to pay the applicable tuition fee.**

Please provide the following information. Return this form **along with your registration form** (unless already registered) to the DC Youth Orchestra Program offices or fax to 202-723-4555. Questions, please contact our offices at 202-698-0123.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP Code: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Category 1 ☐ Category 2 (If you checked the Category 1 box, please attach copies of your most recent [2010] income tax return to verify household income.)

(Category 1 applicants only): Number of people in household \_\_\_\_\_ Annual Household Income: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Please check the appropriate box below:

- ☐ My registration form is attached
- ☐ I have already registered and paid fees for the fall session and if selected to receive a scholarship, would like to have those fees donated to the DC Youth Orchestra Program as a tax deductible contribution.
- ☐ I have already registered and paid fees for the summer session and if selected to receive a scholarship, would like to have those fees applied to the fall 2011 session

By signing below I agree that information provided above is accurate, to the best of my knowledge. I understand that the scholarship for which I am applying of behalf of my child applies to the 2011 Summer Camp's fees and registration only, and does not apply to instrument rental fees/deposits nor does it apply to subsequent sessions/semesters. Further, my signature below also confirms that the student for which I am applying for scholarship resides in the District of Columbia

Signature (Parent/Guardian)

date